

Welcome to the Brave  
New World. Has the  
FCC become so  
impotent that they  
will allow  
Republican  
propaganda, not so  
cleverly disguised  
as a program  
entitled "Stolen  
Honor", to be  
broadcast to the  
country on the  
morning of the most  
important  
presidential  
election in recent  
history? Maybe Mr.  
Powell owes a favor  
to his cronies in  
the Republican party  
that placed him atop  
the FCC throne. I  
hope that the FCC  
will have the  
courage to tell  
Sinclair  
Broadcasting that  
they cannot commit  
such blatant  
election tampering.  
The FCC needs to  
focus less on  
whether or not a  
breast was seen on  
TV during the  
Superbowl and more  
on whether the  
presidential  
election is being  
stolen by America's  
big corporate  
interest. The FCC  
has the duty to the  
American people. I  
implore you to not  
allow Sinclair  
Broadcasting to show  
"Stolen Honor".

Sinclair  
Broadcasting's  
decision to force  
their stations to  
air an anti-Kerry  
documentary days  
before the election  
is a clear example  
of the dangers of  
media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the  
public airwaves free  
of charge, and is  
obligated by law to

serve the public interest. But when large companies control the airwaves, we get more of what's good for the bottom line and less of what we need for our democracy. Instead of something produced at "News Central" far away, it's more important that we see real people from our own communities and more substantive news about issues that matter.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.

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